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MEMORANDUM FOR : Deputy Asst Director for Systems & Development
SUBJECT : Clandestine Planning Analysis

1. I am somewhat concerned about the advisability of the brainstorming approach to the clandestine problem and feel that it may result in both a negligible product and make further effort in this general direction, which is generally desirable, difficult to sell. A better procedure from my point of view is to start with a finite task which will contribute strongly to the problem and lay a foundation for further endeavors, if required.

2. I think that a team effort should be employed, the prime being an OR type [REDACTED] with the major hardware oriented sub selected from a list we would provide based upon clearances and experience in the area. The prime would structure and run the study, the hardware sub would provide technical and cost inputs, and the Agency would provide estimated use rates, requirements, etc.

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3. A set of Task Statements outlining the work is attached. The Tasks are indicated as SOC (Study Oriented Contractor) and HOC (Hardware Oriented Contractor).

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Attachment as stated

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